

# Gigabit Ethernet PCI Express Adapter



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This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications.

Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received; including interference that may cause undesired operation.

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### 1. Unpacking Information

Thank you for purchasing the EN-9260TX-E PCI Express Gigabit Ethernet Adapter. Before you start, please verify that your package contains the following items:

- 1. One EN-9260TX-E PCI Express Gigabit Ethernet Adapter.
- 2. One Driver/ Manual CD-ROM

#### 2. Overview

#### 2.1 Introduction

The EN-9260TX-E PCI Express Gigabit Ethernet Adapter is a high performance Gigabit Ethernet adapter designed for PCI Express Bus, which has better performance than the current PCI interface.

Supporting connection speeds of up to 1000 Mbps, it boosts your networking throughput easily. The EN-9260TX-E allows users to transfer high-bandwidth needed files faster and hence get a real efficiency improvement.

The EN-9260TX-E also supports NWay auto-negotiation that detects the networking speeds (10/100/1000 Mbps) and the duplex modes (full/half) automatically. Auto MDI/MDI-X is also supported to alleviate the effort choosing crossover cables.

#### 2.2 Key Features

- Compliant with PCI Express 1.0a x1 PCI Express standard
- Compliant with CSMA/CD protocol
- Supports 10/100/1000 Mbps and Full/Half-Duplex auto negotiation
- Fully compliant with IEEE 802.3, IEEE 802.3u, IEEE 802.3ab
- Supports Full Duplex flow control (IEEE 802.3x)
- Supports Auto MDI/ MDI-X auto crossover.
- Wake On LAN and ACPI Power Management, compliant to ACPI 2.0
- Integrated 128KB Frame Buffer Memory
- Supports Windows 98SE/2000/XP/Vista, MSC 10.4x, and Linux OS
- CE FCC, VCCI class B approved

#### 2.3 LED Indicators

10M	Green	This adapter is connected at 10 Mbps
	Blinking Green	Data transmitting/ receiving at 10 Mbps
100M	Green	This adapter is connected at 100 Mbps
	Blinking Green	Data transmitting/ receiving at 100 Mbps
1000M	Green	This adapter is connected at 1000 Mbps
	Blinking Green	Data transmitting/ receiving at 1000
	_	Mbps

# 3. Installing the PCI Express Gigabit Ethernet Adapter

#### 3.1 System Requirements

- One available PCI Express slot
- Microsoft Windows 98SE/2000/XP/MAC 10.4x/Linux based computer.
- A CD-ROM Drive

#### 3.2 Hardware Installation

#### Caution:

Before installing this adapter, please touch the metal case of your computer to discharge any static electricity from your body. We recommend users to install this adapter wearing a wrist strap attached to the PC chassis.

- 1. Turn off the computer.
- 2. Remove the computer's cover in accordance to its manual.
- Insert the contact edge of the adapter card into the connector of an available PCI Express slot. Press the card firmly into the connector. Please make sure that the card's contacts are fully seated in the PCI slot.
- 4. Install the bracket screw that secures the card to the computer chassis.
- 5. Replace the computer's cover.
- 6. Connect the network cable to the RJ-45 network connector.
- 7. Turn on the computer.

**Note:** You may select the networking cable according to the following information:

10 BASE-T: Category 3,4 or 5 UTP/STP 100 BASE-TX: Category 5 UTP/STP 1000 BASE-T: Category 5, 5e UTP/STP

#### 3.3 Driver Installation

After mounting this adapter to your computer, you have to install a driver to activate this adapter. The following instruction uses Windows XP as the presumed operation system. The screens upon installation differ slightly from each operation system but the procedures are familiar. Please refer to the following for instructions.

- Turn your computer on after plugging the EN-9260TX-E to a PCI-E slot. When the "Found New Hardware Wizard" pops up, click the "Cancel" button to close the window.
- 2. Insert the Driver CD into your CD ROM drive. The Setup Wizard will run automatically and display the following screen. Select EN-9260TX-E by clicking on its product icon.

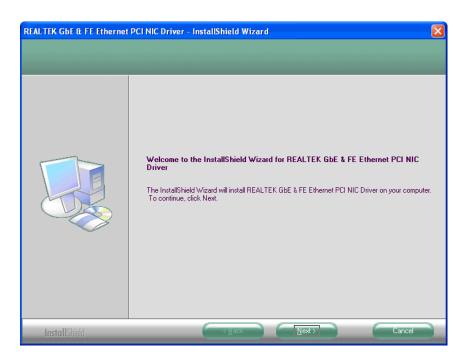


3. On the following screens, choose Setup Driver and select your operating system.

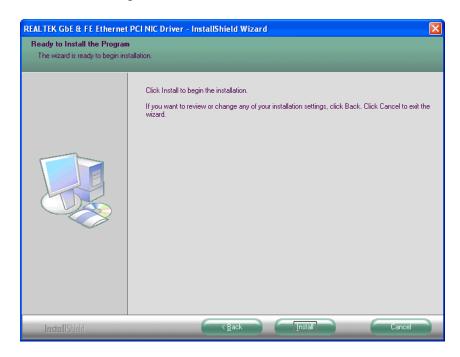




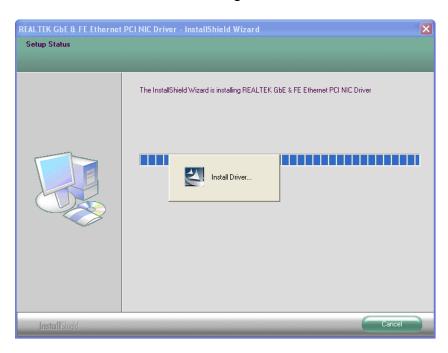
4. When the Welcome window pops up. Click the "Next" button to start driver installation.



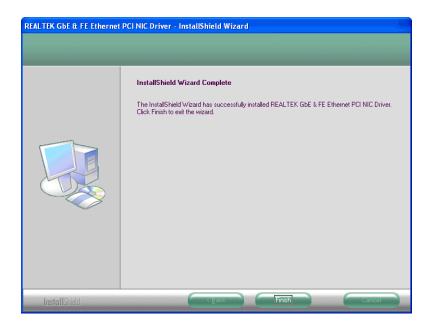
5. On the following screen, click Install.



6. Please wait while driver is being installed.

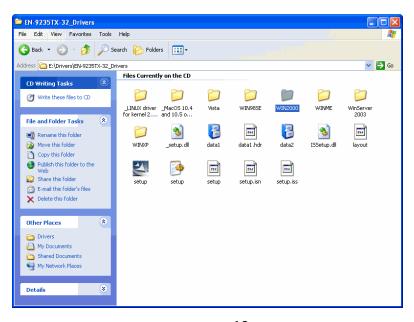


7. Click the "Finish" button to complete driver installation.



#### Note:

Driver installation details for MAC OS and Linux are in their respective folders. Please use your File Manager to locate and browse the CD contents for instructions.



## 4. Product Specifications

Standards IEEE802.3, 10BASE-T

IEEE802.3u, 100BASE-TX IEEE802.3ab, 1000BASE-T IEEE802.3x Flow control

Interface PCI Express serial link x 1

10/100/1000Mbps

Gigabit Ethernet Port x 1

**Cable Connections** UTP Category 3,4,5,5e

Network Data Rates 1000Mbps, 100Mbps, 10Mbps

**LED Indicators** 10M (Link/ACT) x 1

100M (Link/ACT) x 1 1000M (Link/ACT) x 1

Operating Temperature

 $0^{0} \sim 40^{0} \text{C} (32^{0} \sim 104^{0} \text{F})$ 

**Operating Humidity** 10% - 90% non-condensing

**Operation System** Windows 2000/X64/XP/Vista

Safety Approval CE, FCC, VCCI Class B



